

## Message Text

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FM USLO PEKING

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DEPARTMENT PASS AGRICULTURE

E.O.11652: N/A

TAGS: EAGR, CH

SUBJECT: GRAIN CROP CONDITIONS

1. USLO OFFICERS HAVE NOTED THAT SOME WINTER WHEAT IN PEKING AREA EXHIBITING EVIDENCE OF INADEQUATE MOISTURE, ALSO THIN STANDS AND LACK OF UNIFORMITY OF GROWTH.
  2. ACADEMY OF SCIENCE OFFICIAL TOLD USLO OFFICER THAT WINTER WHEAT HAD MADE THREE TO FOUR INCHES LESS GROWTH THIS SEASON THAN NORMAL FOR THIS TIME OF YEAR.
  3. FREQUENT HIGH WINDS AND DUST STORMS HAVE DOMINATED PEKING'S WEATHER DURING LATE APRIL EARLY MAY. ONLY RECENT RAINFALL OCCURRED ON MAY 9 BUT QUANTITY INADEQUATE FOR LASTING BENEFICIAL EFFECTS.
- GATES

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